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1. At the request of Mr. Lay, Exec. Sec'y., NSC, Mr. Burrus of the Bureau of the Budget informed us informally of the intention of the Atomic Energy Commission to amend Section 5(c)(2) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1946 by the addition in line 2 of the section, following the words "by-product materials", the phrase "and other radioactive and stable isotopes except fissionable materials", with a further safeguard preventing shipments which would be inimical to the common defense and security. This would legalize steps already being taken by the AEC. Informed Mr. Burrus that this Agency would have no objections to such an amendment, nor would it be necessary for us to make formal comment.

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